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HERE AND THERE.

The news of the town this week includes a little more festivity than we have had lately, and it is a very pleasant account which we must give. On Friday evening, March 14th, the Young Bachelors' of Bloomfield and Glen Ridge, gave a most successful and enjoyable dance in Glen Ridge Hall, the pretty building erected by M. G. Darwin, and opened to the dancers on this occasion for the first time. Good music gave an added attraction to the excellent floor, and a supper was served in the convenient room below. The patronesses were Mrs. William T. Howe, Mrs. Thomas Oakes and Mrs. C. F. Harrison. Mr. A. G. Darwin was also present at this first entertainment in the hall, and much of the success of the evening was due to his kindly interest in the affairs of the young people.

Among the ladies from out of town were Miss Marvin, of Montclair, Miss Bell, of Newark, and Miss Carrie Hammond, of New York. The representatives of the village and the hill were Miss Nash, Miss Harrison, Miss Josie Cook, Miss Fireing, Miss Besie Fireing, Miss Cleveland, Miss Hewlett, Miss Blanche Cook, Miss King, Miss Louise White, Miss Duncan, Miss Wakefield, Miss Russell, and Messrs. D. Oakes, T. Russell, E. Corbrey, Spencer Smith, Robert Johnson, Louis Capen, J. B. Harrison, Harry Benson, H. King, G. Hewlett, Walter Ward, Chas. Smith, Frank Oakes, Guy Parker, Malcolm and Harry Nash, and Edward T. Howe. Messrs. Innes Townsend, of New York, H. C. White, of Montclair, Wm. Taylor, of Orange, and Edward Mears, of New York, were also present.

It is said that these same young people intend to follow up this good beginning by a series of dances to be given next year.

On the same evening the Fortnightly met at Mrs. S. W. Duffield's, and after mourning the absence of the President, proceeded to discuss and enjoy the wit and wisdom of Sydney Smith as set forth in an entertaining paper read by Rev. F. J. Good.

It was on Saturday that a meeting of the Ministerial Club, composed of clergymen from Newark, Orange, Montclair, and Bloomfield, met at the residence of Rev. H. W. Ballantine and listened to a paper by Rev. G. A. Paul, who treated the subject of the Spiritual Significance of the Sanitary Regulations of the Mosaic Law in a most able and interesting manner.

The entertainments with which this column is occupied this week seem to have been most varied, and one of the best attended and most thoroughly appreciated was the St. Patrick's Festival given as an anniversary celebration to the young ladies of the Westminster Mission Band on Tuesday evening. A supper, which endeavored to be as Irish as possible, was announced on faint green and white menu-cards as consisting of "Irish Stew, Ham, Green Pickles, Biscuits, the Cream, Cake and Coffee," was served on tables adorned with green roses of a most lifelike appearance, and green napkins not to be outdone by the tint of envy itself. It was eaten from plates decorated with green and filled and replenished by waitresses in whose white caps were bunches of shamrock of a kind that may we say it—while most effective, surely, "never was on land or sea."

The church parlor was crowded from six o'clock until ten by the friends of the band, and during the evening Rev. Mr. Paul made a bright and witty little address on the patron saint of Ireland. Miss Russell sang two selections, both well-known to lovers of Irish humor, "Miss Maloney in the Chinese Question," and "Fath-o'-Phat's Collection."

The general opinion seems to be that of St. Patrick inspires such

bright affairs as this ten proved itself he has been neglected too long.

The Card Club is to hold its next meeting Saturday evening, March 22 at the residence of Miss Van Winkle.

Mrs. Charles T. White, Mr. Gaylord White and Miss Anna White have been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Norman White. The departure of Mr. and Mrs. Norman White for Bay Ridge, L. I., is drawing near, as they expect to leave town in about a week, and Mrs. and Miss White will go with them to their new home.

The New York Tribune on Monday contained this item which will be of interest: "The appointment has just been announced of the fellow and the alternate of the class of 1890 of the Union Theological Seminary. Gaylord S. White has the second honor, that of the alternate fellowship. It is understood that both of these 'honored men' will continue their studies in Europe."

But our budget of news would be quite complete unless there were a few words about the dancings of our Ridge neighbors, and we hear that Mr. and Mrs. William White of Brooklyn have been visiting Mrs. Robert White, and that Mrs. Swan and Miss Swain, of New Rochelle, have been the guests of Mrs. Swan, of Hillside avenue.

Sunday Notices.

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